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Applicant: Jason A. Demers Atty. Docket: 1062/D84
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION—ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the final office action mailed on February 6, 2009 ("the Office Action"), Applicant submits a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 and requests further consideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks: **Amendments to the Claims and a Listing of claims begin on page 2 of this paper.** **Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.**